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DATE: August 27, 2003

**PATENT  
MAIL-STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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| In re:      | Patent Application of<br>Emil C. Gotschlich  | : Group Art Unit: 1652<br>:<br>:<br>:                       |
| Appln. No.: | 10/007,267   | : Examiner: Manjunath Rao<br>:<br>:                         |
| Filed:      | December 3, 2001   | :<br>:<br>:   |
| For:        | GLYCOSYLTRANSFERASES FOR<br>BIOSYNTHESIS OF<br>OLIGOSACCHARIDES AND GENES<br>ENCODING THEM | : Attorney Docket<br>: No. 040853-01-5029-02<br>:<br>:<br>: |

**AMENDMENT**

This Amendment responds to the Office Action dated June 2, 2003 (Paper No. 10), sent in connection with the above-identified application. This Amendment is being timely filed in view of the shortened statutory period for reply, which sets the time for a response to the Office Action to and through September 2, 2003.

In response to the Office Action, kindly amend the application as follows: